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Chapter 04: Nice Person
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04 NICE PERSON
AKIRA!
AKIRA?
ARE YOU HOME?
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SERIOUSLY, WHAT'S THE POINT OF HAVING A PHONE THEN?
HMMM
DUNNO.
SHE'S NOT ANSWERING HER PHONE.
DO YOU KNOW WHERE AKIRA WENT?
OH! MAKOTO-CHAN, YOU WERE HERE?
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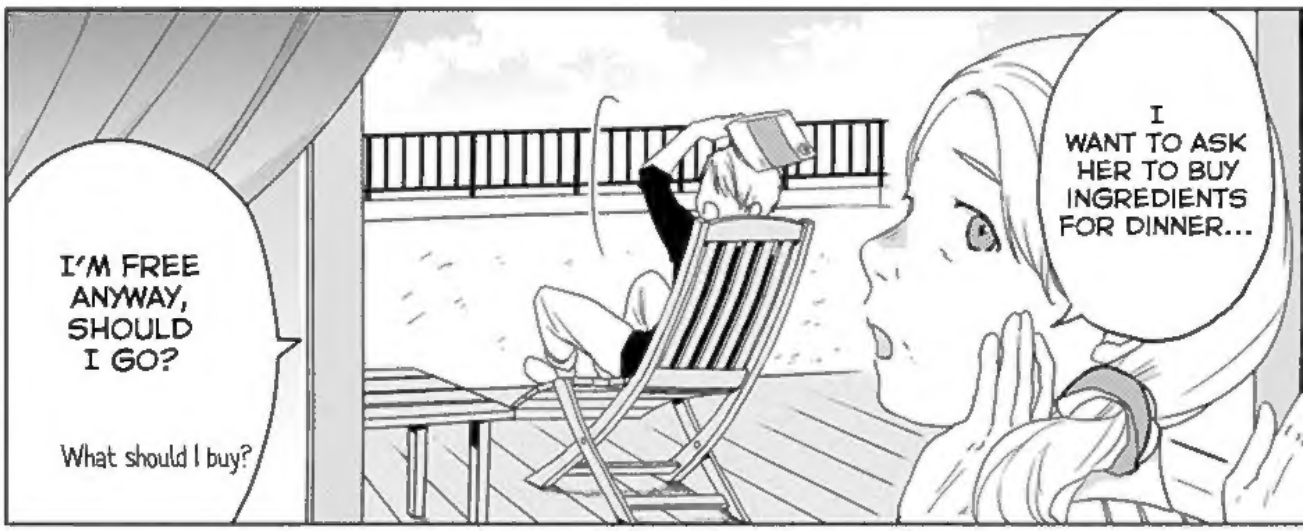
I'M FREE ANYWAY, SHOULD I GO?
What should I buy?
I WANT TO ASK HER TO BUY INGREDIENTS FOR DINNER...

IT'S LIKE THERE ARE TWO AKIRAS...
Natural airheads.
AUNTIE... YOU SHOULD MAKE SOMETHING ELSE WITH THE INGREDIENTS YOU HAVE...
Oh, and milk and dressing, too.
IF WE DON'T HAVE THOSE, WE ONLY HAVE CARROTS TO COOK CURRY.
REALLY? THEN, CAN YOU PLEASE BUY PORK, ONIONS AND POTATOES?

WHICH REMINDS ME, MAKOTO-CHAN,
HERE'S THE MONEY. I'M COUNTING ON YOU.
ROGER~
YOU DON'T SPEND WEEKENDS TOGETHER RECENTLY.
DID YOU HAVE A FIGHT?
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DUNNO.
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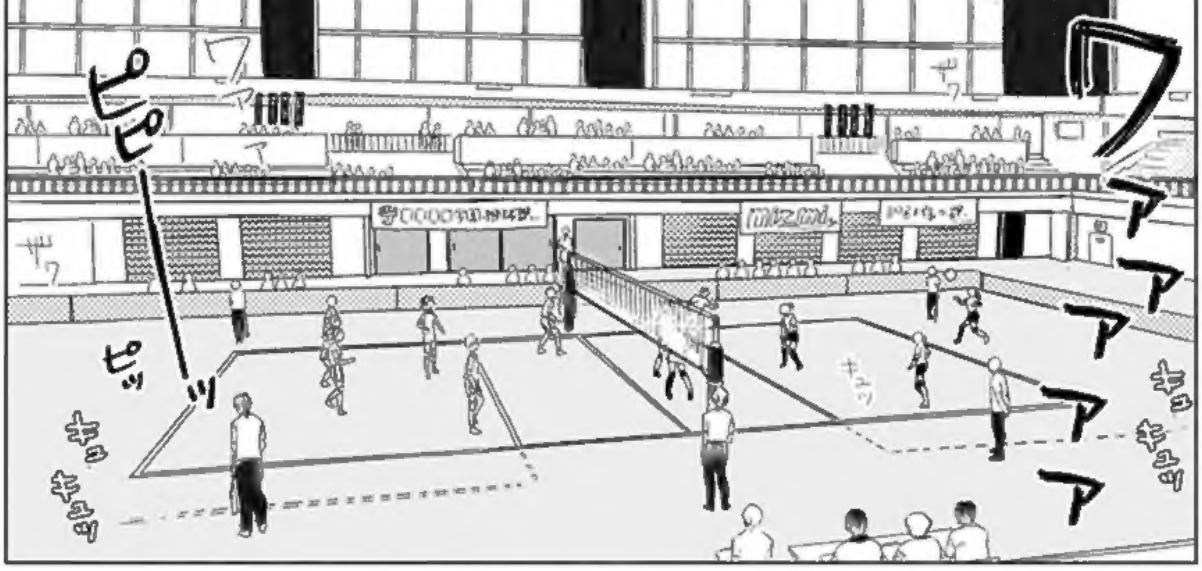
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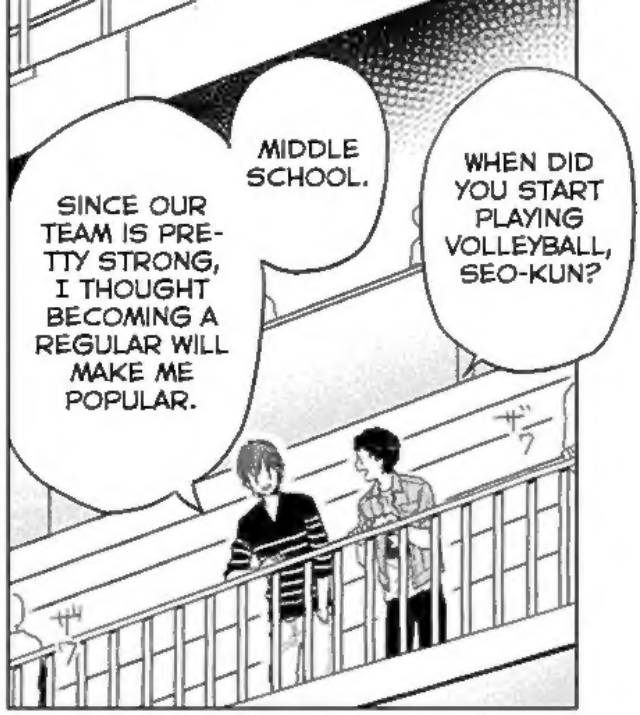
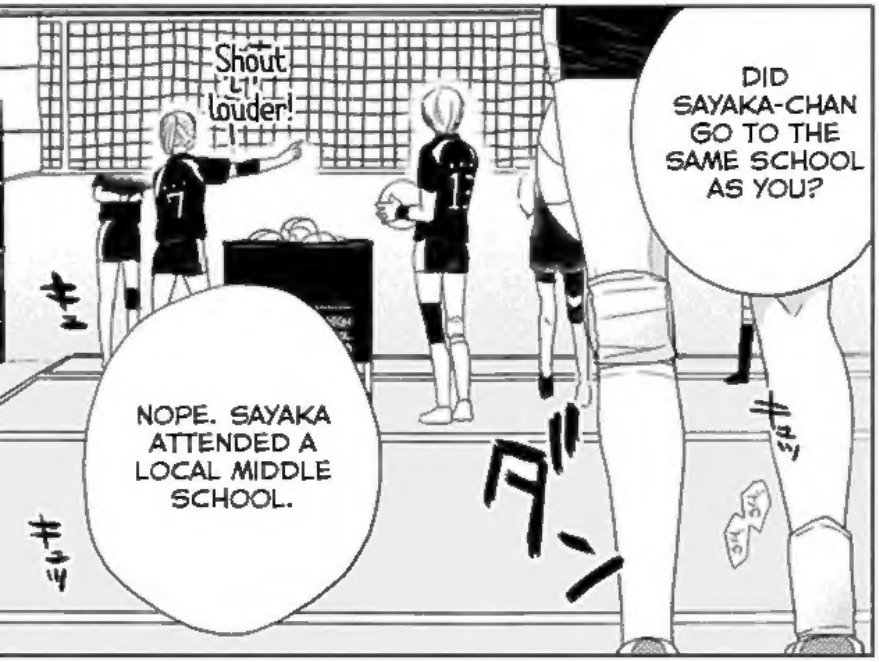
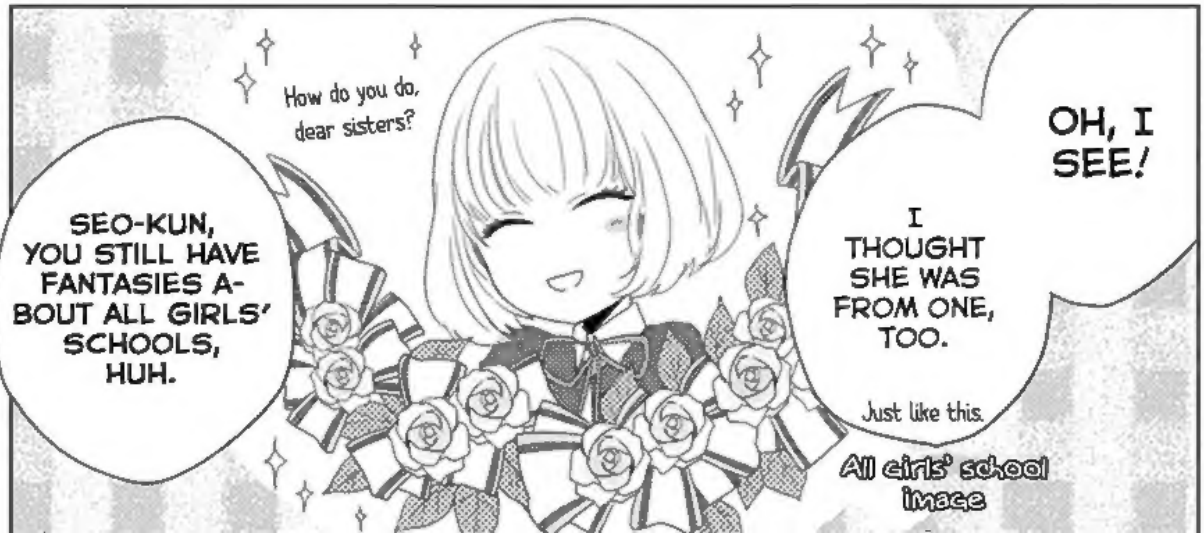
WHEN I HEAR THEM CHEER, IT MAKES ME WANT TO CHEER AS WELL.
I KNOW!
Hm
AS I THOUGHT, MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TEAMS THAT MAKE IT TO THE FINALS ARE AMAZING~
SEEING THAT MAKES ME WANNA COME BACK TO HIGH SCHOOL.

Ahaha
WOW~ TALK ABOUT AN IMPURE MOTIVE~
WELL, IT DIDN'T GO THAT SMOOTHLY IN REALITY.
I BET YOU WERE PRETTY POPULAR, AKIRA-CHAN.
You're the ace spiker after all.


WHEN DID YOU START PLAYING VOLLEYBALL, SEO-KUN?
MIDDLE SCHOOL.
SINCE OUR TEAM IS PRETTY STRONG, I THOUGHT BECOMING A REGULAR WILL MAKE ME POPULAR.


Shout louder!
DID SAYAKA-CHAN GO TO THE SAME SCHOOL AS YOU?
NOPE. SAYAKA ATTENDED A LOCAL MIDDLE SCHOOL.

I was popular.
WITH THE GIRLS, YES.
AHAHA! YOU'RE FROM AN ALL GIRLS' SCHOOL AFTER ALL.


How do you do, dear sisters?
SEO-KUN, YOU STILL HAVE FANTASIES A-BOUT ALL GIRLS' SCHOOLS, HUH.
I THOUGHT SHE WAS FROM ONE, TOO.
OH, I SEE!
Just like this.
All girls' school image

I DON'T THINK EVEN CHILDHOOD FRIENDS CAN STAY FRIENDS FOR SO LONG UNLESS THEIR PERSONALITIES MATCH.
THAT JUST SHOWS YOUR COMPATIBILITY IS ESPECIALLY GOOD.
YOUR RELATIONSHIP DIDN'T CHANGE EVEN THOUGH YOU WENT TO DIFFERENT SCHOOLS?
WELL, WE'RE NEIGHBORS AND WE'VE KNOWN EACH OTHER SINCE WE WERE THREE, SO...
I THINK THAT'S GREAT.
SEO-KUN'S A NICE PERSON.
Oh, the next game's about to begin.
Let's go back to our seats.
Gather round!

SINCE WE'RE ON THE SAME WAVELENGTH, WE CAN CONNECT NATURALLY WITHOUT TRYING TOO HARD TO GET WORKED UP.
So do you want to watch this match next time?
Sure!!!

HE MIGHT BE THE FIRST GUY I CAN HAVE FUN TALKING TO, ASIDE FROM MAKOTO.

OH, I WON'T GO TO THE CLUBROOM TODAY.
AKIRA
GO ON FIRST. I HAVE TO DROP BY THE BOOK-STORE BEFORE GOING TO THE CLUBROOM.
SEO-KUN ASKED IF WE CAN HAVE LUNCH TOGETHER. HE HAS SOMETHING HE WANTS TO TALK ABOUT.
Let's walk together until there.
REALLY? THAT'S RARE.
EH?! HOW DID YOU PROGRESS THAT FAR WHILE I WASN'T LOOKING?!
P-PROG-RESS... NO, IT'S NOT WHAT YOU THINK IT IS.
And you're too loud.
I'M SURE HE WANTS TO ASK ADVICE ON SOMETHING.

OH, MAKOTO. I'M NOT GOING TO THE CLUBROOM FOR LUNCH TODAY.
AKIRA
I WON'T BE SURPRISED IF HE CONFESSES NOW~!
NO WAY.
YOU'VE GONE OUT WITH JUST SEO-KUN A FEW TIMES NOW, RIGHT?
SEE YOU AT THIRD PERIOD.
OKAY. I'M OFF, THEN.
See you~
...YEAH.
YOU'RE GOING TO EAT LUNCH THERE LIKE ALWAYS, RIGHT?
NI! NO! MI! YA!

WHAT?!
Why?
YOU'RE HAVING LUNCH WITH ME AT THE CLUBROOM TODAY!
YOU'RE COMING WITH ME!
I won't let you go!!!
STOP RIGHT THERE!
YOU SHOULD KEEP SOME DISTANCE FROM AKIRA!
THAT'S THE REASON WHY I INVITED AKIRA TO A GROUP DATE!

YOU'VE GONE OUT WITH JUST SEO-KUN A FEW TIMES NOW, RIGHT?
I WON'T BE SURPRISED IF HE CONFESSES NOW~!
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THERE'S SOMETHING I WANT TO TALK ABOUT. DO YOU THINK WE CAN HAVE LUNCH TOGETHER?

I said we're going this way!!!
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Akira's scene